



Uxbridge Special Education Parent Advisory Council

2009-2010 Meetings and Events

Meetings

USEPAC meetings are held monthly at the **Whitin Middle School Library** starting at **7:00 pm**. All interested parents, guardians, staff and community members are invited to attend the meetings.

The following are the meeting dates for 2009-2010 school year.

October 14 th (USEPAC Open House)	February 10 th
November 4 th	March 10 th
December 9 th	April 14 th
January 13 th	May 12 th

Events

The following are events & fundraisers we are planning for this school year. As more information becomes available we will update this link.

Fall 2009

- **Basic Rights Workshop, Thursday, October 8th 7-9pm-Northbridge High School**
This workshop provides families with an introduction to their rights and responsibilities under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), Massachusetts Special Education Law and No Child Left Behind (NCLB). It is designed to help parents learn how to be effective partners with the school, to decide the child's eligibility for special education, to plan, make decisions and to monitor the educational progress of their child. It is presented by the Federation for Children w/ Special Needs. Go to <http://fcsn.org/pti/workshops/> for more Federation Workshops.
- **USEPAC Open House, Wednesday, October 14th 7pm-Whitin Middle School Library**
Join us for light refreshments, learn about the USEPAC and meet and network with other parents.
- **Vendor Fair, Friday, November 13th 7pm-Taft Cafeteria**
Join us for a relaxing evening of shopping. Enjoy refreshments while you browse the aisles as vendors share their local crafts. Shop early to get a head start on your holiday gift list.

Winter 2009-2010

- **Workshop** – subject and date to be determined
- **Family Swim and Pizza Party** – date to be determined

Spring 2010

- **Workshop** – subject and date to be determined
- **Yard Sale Fundraiser** – date to be determined